

Message

**From:** Baca, Andrew [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=4F4BB31FB6E94C0AA9756706CC1C888C-BACA, ANDREW]  
**Sent:** 8/21/2020 4:17:45 PM  
**To:** Marianne Holsman (Holsman.Marianne@epa.gov) [Holsman.Marianne@epa.gov]  
**CC:** Opalski, Dan [Opalski.Dan@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** FW: Pebble

Marianne – a key change was made to the original list of bullets. The thread below explains. We may want to huddle quickly before these are finalized.

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**From:** McGrath, Patricia <mcgrath.patricia@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 21, 2020 8:51 AM  
**To:** Steiner-Riley, Cara <Steiner-Riley.Cara@epa.gov>; Opalski, Dan <Opalski.Dan@epa.gov>; Li, Beverly <Li.Beverly@epa.gov>; Szlag, Matthew <Szlag.Matthew@epa.gov>; Grandinetti, Cami <Grandinetti.Cami@epa.gov>; Baca, Andrew <Baca.Andrew@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Brown, Leah <Brown.Leah@epa.gov>; Soden, Caitlin <Soden.Caitlin@epa.gov>; Johnson, Patrick <johnson.patrick@epa.gov>; Vaughan, Molly <Vaughan.Molly@epa.gov>; Chu, Rebecca <Chu.Rebecca@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Pebble

Ok. Thanks. The additional folks I cced were in our NEPA office who I felt should be included.  
Patty

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**From:** Steiner-Riley, Cara <Steiner-Riley.Cara@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 21, 2020 8:49 AM  
**To:** McGrath, Patricia <mcgrath.patricia@epa.gov>; Opalski, Dan <Opalski.Dan@epa.gov>; Li, Beverly <Li.Beverly@epa.gov>; Szlag, Matthew <Szlag.Matthew@epa.gov>; Grandinetti, Cami <Grandinetti.Cami@epa.gov>; Baca, Andrew <Baca.Andrew@epa.gov>  
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Just want to let you all know that the bullet has been removed and that this needs to stay close hold (OGC just let me know that). Thanks.

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**From:** McGrath, Patricia <mcgrath.patricia@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 21, 2020 8:25 AM  
**To:** Steiner-Riley, Cara <Steiner-Riley.Cara@epa.gov>; Opalski, Dan <Opalski.Dan@epa.gov>; Li, Beverly <Li.Beverly@epa.gov>; Szlag, Matthew <Szlag.Matthew@epa.gov>; Grandinetti, Cami <Grandinetti.Cami@epa.gov>; Baca, Andrew <Baca.Andrew@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Brown, Leah <Brown.Leah@epa.gov>; Soden, Caitlin <Soden.Caitlin@epa.gov>; Johnson, Patrick <johnson.patrick@epa.gov>; Vaughan, Molly <Vaughan.Molly@epa.gov>; Chu, Rebecca <Chu.Rebecca@epa.gov>  
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**From:** Steiner-Riley, Cara <[Steiner-Riley.Cara@epa.gov](mailto:Steiner-Riley.Cara@epa.gov)>

**Sent:** Friday, August 21, 2020 8:12 AM

**To:** Opalski, Dan <[Opalski.Dan@epa.gov](mailto:Opalski.Dan@epa.gov)>; Li, Beverly <[Li.Beverly@epa.gov](mailto:Li.Beverly@epa.gov)>; Szelag, Matthew <[Szelag.Matthew@epa.gov](mailto:Szelag.Matthew@epa.gov)>; Grandinetti, Cami <[Grandinetti.Cami@epa.gov](mailto:Grandinetti.Cami@epa.gov)>; McGrath, Patricia <[mcgrath.patricia@epa.gov](mailto:mcgrath.patricia@epa.gov)>

**Cc:** Brown, Leah <[Brown.Leah@epa.gov](mailto:Brown.Leah@epa.gov)>; Soden, Caitlin <[Soden.Caitlin@epa.gov](mailto:Soden.Caitlin@epa.gov)>; Johnson, Patrick <[johnson.patrick@epa.gov](mailto:johnson.patrick@epa.gov)>

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**From:** Wehling, Carrie <[Wehling.Carrie@epa.gov](mailto:Wehling.Carrie@epa.gov)>

**Sent:** Friday, August 21, 2020 5:13 AM

**To:** Nalven, Heidi <[Nalven.Heidi@epa.gov](mailto:Nalven.Heidi@epa.gov)>; Hough, Palmer <[Hough.Palmer@epa.gov](mailto:Hough.Palmer@epa.gov)>; Steiner-Riley, Cara <[Steiner-Riley.Cara@epa.gov](mailto:Steiner-Riley.Cara@epa.gov)>

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Assume you all may have heard this thru other channels but it was news to me so just passing on....

I do hope they take out the 4th bullet because I'm not sure of its import or implications.

Heidi – do you think we should let our DOJ attorney know as an FYI?

Thanks.

Carrie

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**From:** Goerke, Ariadne <[Goerke.Ariadne@epa.gov](mailto:Goerke.Ariadne@epa.gov)>

**Sent:** Friday, August 21, 2020 8:06 AM

**To:** OGC WLO MGMT <[OGC\\_WLO\\_MGMT@epa.gov](mailto:OGC_WLO_MGMT@epa.gov)>

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FYI – It is not clear to me at this moment what the ask is, but want you to be aware this is in the works. David F is already receiving these emails, so he is not copied here. You may already be well aware. Let me know if this is duplicative. Thanks!

**Ariadne Goerke**

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**From:** Forsgren, Lee <[Forsgren.Lee@epa.gov](mailto:Forsgren.Lee@epa.gov)>

**Sent:** Friday, August 21, 2020 6:42 AM

**To:** Risley, David <[Risley.David@epa.gov](mailto:Risley.David@epa.gov)>

**Cc:** Fotouhi, David <[Fotouhi.David@epa.gov](mailto:Fotouhi.David@epa.gov)>; Drinkard, Andrea <[Drinkard.Andrea@epa.gov](mailto:Drinkard.Andrea@epa.gov)>; Holsman, Marianne <[Holsman.Marianne@epa.gov](mailto:Holsman.Marianne@epa.gov)>; Barger, Cindy <[Barger.Cindy@epa.gov](mailto:Barger.Cindy@epa.gov)>; PerezSullivan, Margot <[PerezSullivan.Margot@epa.gov](mailto:PerezSullivan.Margot@epa.gov)>; Rountree, Marthea <[Rountree.Marthea@epa.gov](mailto:Rountree.Marthea@epa.gov)>; Widner, Jacob <[Widner.Jacob@epa.gov](mailto:Widner.Jacob@epa.gov)>; Goerke, Ariadne <[Goerke.Ariadne@epa.gov](mailto:Goerke.Ariadne@epa.gov)>

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David

Don't put in the date till the COE actually transmits the letter. Probably next Monday and I would not explicitly include

**Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)**

Lee

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 21, 2020, at 1:55 AM, Risley, David <[Risley.David@epa.gov](mailto:Risley.David@epa.gov)> wrote:

Lee et al.,

Here are draft talking points regarding the Corps' letter. Please let me know if you have any comments/edits.

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David Risley

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**From:** Risley, David

**Sent:** Thursday, August 20, 2020 2:08 PM

**To:** Drinkard, Andrea <[Drinkard.Andrea@epa.gov](mailto:Drinkard.Andrea@epa.gov)>; Holsman, Marianne <[Holsman.Marianne@epa.gov](mailto:Holsman.Marianne@epa.gov)>;

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On Aug 20, 2020, at 2:02 PM, Risley, David <[Risley.David@epa.gov](mailto:Risley.David@epa.gov)> wrote:

I'm hearing that we'll need some talking points on Pebble. Will start drafting this evening/tomorrow morning.

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